

EXHIBIT 9

Memorandum of Activity

Case Number: I16A0120900	Office: JRI-5 Western (San Francisco)	Type of Activity: Interview
Date of Activity: 06/09/2021	Date Report Drafted: 06/11/2021	Location of Activity: Microsoft Teams
Subject of Activity: Victim 8	Activity Conducted By (Name(s)): Reggie Lee	Signature: R L

On June 9, 2021, **Victim 8**), former Skydiver, Parachute Center, Lodi, CA, was interviewed via Microsoft Teams by Special Agent Reggie Lee, U.S. Department of Transportation, Office of Inspector General, San Francisco, CA. Also present was Gabriel Becerra San Martin, friend of **Victim 8** to assist with translation. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and the nature of the interview, **Victim 8** provided the following:

Victim 8 travelled to the Parachute Center from Chile for a month in August of 2016. The purpose of his trip was to obtain the Tandem Instructor rating with U.S. Parachute Association (USPA) and United Parachute Technologies (UPT).

At the Parachute Center, Rob Pooley (Pooley) indicated to **Victim 8** that everything could be accomplished at the Parachute Center. **Victim 8** enrolled in the Tandem Instructor course with **Victim 5** , Yong Kwon (Kwon), and a few other guys. **Victim 5** had contacted the Parachute Center prior to the trip and spoke with Bill Dause (Dause) who referred **Victim 5** to Pooley.

Victim 8 believed he paid Pooley approximately \$2,000 in cash for the course which was for USPA New Membership, USPA Canopy Proficiency Card, USPA Coach Rating, USPA Tandem Instructor Rating, USPA D License, and UPT Tandem Instructor Rating.

The course lasted two weeks. Candidates conducted 2-3 jumps per day followed by instructions. Pooley was the only Examiner in the course and there were no other Examiners teaching the course. After completing the course, **Victim 8** was provided with USPA and UPT paperwork. Both paperwork were already signed by another guy who supposedly worked there but did not participate in the course.

Victim 8 had no idea that Pooley's Examiner ratings were suspended. **Victim 8** stated "No way" when asked if he would have still taken the course knowing Pooley was suspended. He added there would have been no reason to pay Pooley.

Following Kwon's accident, people started asking Pooley about the status of their paperwork. Pooley responded not to worry and everything was okay. It was chaotic at the Parachute Center after the accident. **Victim 8** recalled asking Pooley for his money back as **Victim 8** had to return to Chile soon. However, Pooley did not return to the Parachute Center soon after the accident.

Victim 8 never received the Tandem Instructor ratings he paid for. Instead, he attended the course again after he returned to Chile where he to pay a second time.

Victim 8 believed he may have communicated with Pooley using his old employer's email address [REDACTED] which he no longer has access to. **Victim 8** agreed to check his cell phone and computer for photographs and records from his time at the Parachute Center.

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Victim 8 added he had a very strong feeling on his return flight to Chile and that he felt very sad for Kwon and his family.

On June 15, 2021, Victim 8 emailed a photograph of himself and other skydivers at the Parachute Center, a photograph of his FAA Medical Certificate, and video of his skydives at the Parachute Center.

Attachments:

- Victim 8 photograph
- Victim 8 FAA Medical Certificate
- Victim 8 Video

Reviewed By (Initials): K K Date: 06/28/2021

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